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AREA REPORTED ON VORKUTA, USSR			FROM (Agency) 7050th AISW		
DATE OF REPORT 2 Oct 53		DATE OF INFORMATION Mar 49 - Aug 50		EVALUATION F-3	
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SUMMARY: (Enter concise summary of report. Give significance in final one-sentence paragraph. List inclosures at lower left. Begin text of report on AF Form 112—Part II.)

I. PREAMBLE:

SOURCE was interned in Russian camps from Oct 44 until Sep 53 at which time he was repatriated to Camp FRIEDLAND, HESSEN. SOURCE was interned in VORKUTA from Mar 49 until Aug 50. During this time SOURCE met the individual whose description follows:

II. SOURCE met a person at camp VORKUTA in Mar 49 who claimed to be a Colonel in the US "Secret Service". SOURCE gave the following description:

Age: about 43 years.

Height: about 5' 10"

Weight: 70 kg.

Color of Hair: Blond, graying at temples.

SOURCE submitted the following background info: SOURCE could not remember the man's exact name, but it sounded like "LATWEK", or "LATWECH". He was of Yugoslav origin, a first generation American. He was arrested in the Soviet Sector of VIENNA some time in 49, while wearing civilian clothes. He was pushed into a black sedan and driven to an unknown Viennese jail. He arrived at VORKUTA with a group of ten Viennese men and one Viennese woman. One of the Viennese was called OTTO KLEIN. "LATWEK" worked in mine #6 at the VORKUTA coal mines. He was convicted of espionage and given 25 years at hard labor without trial. He was badly treated by the Russians who called him a "Tito Bandit". Last seen in Oct 49.

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